

INVITATION TO BID

Legal Notice

1. Sealed proposals for the **upgrade of the traffic signal at SR 144 @ Rushing Street as well as the expansion of both Rushing Street and Ford Avenue**, will be received by the City of Richmond Hill in the Council Chambers located at City Hall, 40 Richard Davis Drive, Richmond Hill, GA. until 10:00 AM on Thursday **July 13, 2017** at which time they will be *publicly opened*. No bid may be withdrawn after the closing time for the receipt of bids for a period of sixty (60) days. Bid Proposal shall have Utility Contractor License Number written on the outside of the Bid Envelope.
2. The project consists of the following generally described work:

Upgrade the traffic signal at SR 144 @ Rushing Street to mast arms configuration in conjunction with development on the southwest corner of the intersection. This work includes installation of all materials shown in the plan set provided and removal of any existing material not being retained in the new configuration.

Expansion of Rushing Street to incorporate a dedicated left turn lane. Expansion of Ford Avenue to incorporate a continuation of a Right Turn & Deceleration Lane configuration. This work is to include any utility upgrades or reconfigurations as shown within the provided documents. This work includes installation of all materials shown in the plan set provided and removal of any existing material not being retained in the new configuration.
3. Plans and Specifications are open to inspection or may be obtained from Wolverton & Associates, Inc., 7 E Congress Street, Suite 306, Savannah, Georgia 31401 upon payment of **\$70.00** for each set (plus shipping charges as applicable). Contact **Lance Cooper** at (912)721-6999 (Fax 912-721-6998). A copy of your check is required to receive a complete bid set. The payment is non-refundable.
4. Bids shall be accompanied by a bid bond or certified cashier's check in an amount not less than 10% of the base bid. All bonds shall be by a surety company licensed in Georgia with an "A" minimum rating of performance and a financial strength of at least five (5) times the contract price as listed in the most current publication of "Best's Key Rating Guide Property Liability". Performance and Payment Bonds, each in an amount equal to 100% of the contract price shall be required of the successful bidder if contract is awarded. Each Bond shall be accompanied by a "Power of Attorney" authorizing the attorney-in-fact to bind the surety and certified to include the date of the bond.
5. Owner reserves the right to reject any or all Bids, including without limitation, the rights to reject any or all nonconforming, nonresponsive, unbalanced or conditional Bids and to reject the Bid of any Bidder if Owner believes that it would not be in the best interest of the Project to make an award to that Bidder, whether because the Bid is not responsive or the Bidder is unqualified or of doubtful financial ability or fails to meet any other pertinent standard or criteria established by the Owner.
6. Funding: This project is funded by the City of Richmond Hill.
7. A Pre-Bid Conference will be held on **Thursday July 6, 2017** at 10:00 a.m. in the City Hall Council Chambers at City Hall located at **40 Richard R. Davis Drive, Richmond Hill, Georgia 31324**. All prospective bidders are encouraged to attend.

City Of Richmond Hill
Chris Lovell- City Manager